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FLORIDA PROFIT CORPORATION OR P.A.

PADDOCK PARK ANIMAL CARE CENTER, INC.

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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

PADDOCK PARK ANIMAL CARE CENTER, INC.

The undersigned incorporator, for the purpose of forming a corporation under the Florida Business Corporation act, does hereby adopt the following Articles of Incorporation:

ARTICLE I NAME AND ADDRESS

The name of the Corporation shall be: PADDOCK PARK ANIMAL CARE CENTER, INC.

The address of the principal office of the Corporation is: 3931 SW 42nd Street, Ocala, Florida, 34474, and the mailing address of the Corporation is: 3931 SW 42nd Street, Ocala, Florida, 34474.

ARTICLE II

This Corporation shall have perpetual existence.

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ARTICLE III BUSINESS, OBJECTS OR PURPOSE

The general nature of the business to be transacted by this Corporation or the objects or purposes of the Corporation shall be as follows:

- 1. To engage in and transact any lawful business for which corporation may be incorporated under the Florida Business Corporation Act and other incorporation laws of the State of Florida. No other purpose limits this general purpose in any way.
- To do such other things as are incidental to the purposes of the
 Corporation or necessary or desirable in order to accomplish them.

ARTICLE IV AUTHORIZED SHARES

The aggregate number of shares which the Corporation is authorized to issue is 100 shares of common stock. Such shares shall be of a single class and shall have a par value of \$0.01 per share.

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ARTICLE V INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The street address of the initial registered office of the Corporation is: 421 S. Pine Avenue, Ocala, Marion County, Florida 34474, and the name of the initial Registered Agent at that address is: DANIEL HICKS, ESQUIRE.

ARTICLE VI INITIAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The number of Directors constituting the initial Board of Directors is one (1). The number of Directors may be increased or decreased from time to time in accordance with the Bylaws but shall never be less than one.

PRESIDENT:

DAVID MENARD, D.V.M.

VICE PRESIDENT:

DAVID MENARD, D.V.M.

SECRETARY/TREASURER: DAVID MENARD, D.V.M.

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ARTICLE VII INCORPORATORS

The name and address of the Incorporator is as follows: Daniel Hicks, Esquire, 421 S. Pine Avenue, Ocala, FL 34474. The power of the Incorporator shall terminate upon the filling of the Articles of Incorporation of PADDOCK PARK ANIMAL CARE CENTER, INC. with the office of the Secretary of State of Florida.

ARTICLE VIII <u>AMENDMENT</u>

The Corporation reserves the right to amend or repeal any provisions contained in these Articles of Incorporation or any amendment to them, and any right conferred upon the Shareholders is subject to this reservation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has signed these Articles of incorporation on this 20 day of August, 1999.

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STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF MARION

Before me personally appeared Daniel Hicks, to me well known and known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation and acknowledged to and before me that he executed said instrument for the purposes therein expressed, and that he is personally known to me.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this 20th day of August, 1999.

Notary Public, State of Florida

My Commission expires:

MARY L. CECIL
MY COMMISSION & CC 540532
EXPIRES: July 25, 2000
Bonded Thru Notary Public Underwriters

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ACCEPTANCE BY DESIGNATION REGISTERED AGENT/REGISTERED OFFICE

I, the undersigned person, having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above-stated Corporation at the place designated in this statement, hereby accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity. I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relating to the proper and complete performance of my duties, and I am familiar with and accept the obligations of my position as registered agent.

Daniel Hicks

Date: August _20 , 1999.

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